PATENT APPLICATION

N THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Rudolf LINNER and Hans LINNER

Confirmation No.: 4995

Appln. No.: 10/018,620

Examiner: Rada, Alex P.

Filed: April 12, 2002

Group Art Unit: 3714

For: INSTALLATION FOR A COMPETITIVE GAME WITH ICE

HOCKEY STICK AND ICE HOCKEY PUCK

Attorney Docket No.: 3648.030

Customer No.: 000041288

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Mail Stop: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Attached hereto is an AMENDMENT A in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: November 29, 2004

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE

I hereby certify that the foregoing EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER for U.S. Application No. 10/018,620 filed April 12, 2002, was deposited in first class U.S. mail, with sufficient postage, addressed: Mail Stop: Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on November 29, 2004.

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AMENDMENT A

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22202

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated June 29, 2004, the period for response being extended by two months to November 29, 2004 by Petition for Two Month Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

New drawings are attached to the end of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.

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